

19 March 1974

MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director for Intelligence

SUBJECT: OPR Support to NIOs

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A. In the Preparation of NIEs

1. NIE 1-1-73: The World Oil Crisis, 5 Dec 73: 30 work days [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] drafted half of this NIE, and chaired the coordination sessions for that half. [REDACTED] was principal assistant, text keeper and rewrite-artist.

- \*2. NIE 11-1-73: Soviet Space Programs, 20 Dec 73:

[REDACTED] put the draft together and chaired the coordination sessions, 5 weeks, full time.

- \*3. Memorandum to Holders, NIE 11-3-72, Soviet Strategic Defenses, 20 Dec 73: [REDACTED] chaired the coordination sessions and did some redrafting, 3 weeks, full time.

4. NIE 91-74: Argentina, 31 Jan 74: At [REDACTED] request [REDACTED] spent 10 hours advising and assisting in coordination sessions.

[REDACTED] was de facto a part of O/PR from 1 Nov 73 until his move to DLA the end of February.

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5. NIAM on Moscow's View of Detente. [REDACTED] proposed the paper, which is being worked up on the basis of an outline he prepared. He has put in about 40 hours so far in drafting and discussion time.

B. In Connection with the Preparation of Other Intelligence Issuances

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1. [REDACTED] special paper on the Soviet leadership and the Middle East war, 3 1/2 months, full time.

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2. Contribution to the NIO/FE: an input to a policy paper [REDACTED] 2 work days.

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3. Support to the NIO/FE re China: participation in various conferences and a KIQ's exercise, [REDACTED] a total of about 30 hours.

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4. Inter-Agency Memo on Foreign Arms Sales in Middle East [REDACTED] spent a total of 3 work days on this, reviewing drafts and participating in coordination sessions.

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5. Comments on a draft NIO paper re recent Latin American Foreign Ministers' meeting, [REDACTED] 5 hours.

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6. [REDACTED] meeting on Law of the Sea. [REDACTED]; a total of 3 hours. (Additionally, considerable assistance to the Law of the Sea endeavors of OBGI and OTR, [REDACTED])

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C. In Connection with KEP Baseline Reports

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1. Review, comment and participation in Community discussions on USSR baseline report: [REDACTED] 5 hours.

2. Drafting and participation in Community discussions on China baseline report: [REDACTED] 6 hours.

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3. Review, comment and participation in Community discussion on Middle East baseline report: [REDACTED] 8 hours.

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Ed  
Paul

This is the information you asked for  
concerning OPR support to various NIO activities.

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cc: DDI Management Staff

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